

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of translating ~~environmental~~ meteorological forecast data to an operations data associated with providing electrical power produced from a renewable power generation facility to a power grid, comprising ~~steps of~~:

~~sensing environmental~~ collecting meteorological factors that affect an amount of electrical power generated by the renewable power generation facility;

developing ~~an environmental~~ a meteorological forecast from said ~~environmental meteorological~~ factors collected ~~sensed in said sensing step~~;

committing to deliver, by contract, at least a portion of a unit of power from said renewable power generation facility at a predetermined time coinciding with the meteorological forecast; and

developing a trading position for said unit of power based on an uncertainty in said ~~environmental~~ meteorological forecast.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising ~~steps of~~:

calculating a financial risk associated with a the commitment to deliver the unit of power at the predetermined time;

contrasting a cost associated with a risk of failure to deliver the unit of power at the predetermined time with a cost to mitigate said risk of failure; and

at least one of adjusting and not adjusting said trading position based on an uncertainty in ~~an environmental~~ a meteorological reforecast made with an update in said ~~environmental~~ meteorological factors.

3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2, wherein said trading position includes trading an option to offset said uncertainty in said ~~environmental~~ meteorological reforecast.

4-50. (Canceled)